

CatalogXpress™ Service for the Web *Tip Sheet*

Select better products and components, find alternate suppliers, and locate possible strategic partners! CatalogXpress gives access to catalogs and manufacturer/sales office listings from over 16,000 prime industrial suppliers. Directory listings from Harris InfoSource help you locate small/local vendors. Information on 10,000 GSA contractors (including complete catalogs from over half of these!), Federal Supply Schedules, and GSA-related publications are also provided.

To Start

1. Select your Desktop login link
OR
Go to <http://www.ihserc.com>, click the Login button, enter your user name and password, and click the Submit button.
2. Click *CatalogXpress*.

To Exit

Click the Logout button on the product banner.

For Help

Click the Help button on the top menu bar.
For additional assistance, call IHS
Customer Support: 1-800-447-3352.

1. Search Page

Click the red tabs near the top of the page to choose the portion of the database you wish to search:

Catalog Search

Search the full text of catalogs, Federal Supply Schedules, related publications, and Harris InfoSource directory data.

- a** Be specific. Describe the item you need. You can also enter SINS or FSCs to locate GSA data. CatalogXpress finds pages containing *any* of your Keywords, but pages containing *all* of the Keywords will appear at the top of your results list.
- b** Type a part number, model number, industry standard, Mil Spec, NSN, NIIN, diagram or drawing number, or NATO number.
- c** Type a manufacturer/contractor name. CatalogXpress finds suppliers having *all* of the words you enter in their names. It also checks former names. You can also enter a contract or schedule number, or the title of a GSA-related publication in this field.
- d** Click *Category* to display your results by subject or industry. Click *Manufacturer* to display results across all categories, sorted by manufacturer.
- e** Click to go to the IHS Parts Center where you can find additional information, request quotes, and research government bids. If a number is entered in the Part Number field when you click this button, the number is automatically searched in the Parts Center database.

Manufacturer Search

Search the full text of manufacturer/sales office listings.

- a** Enter information, such as the supplier's:
 - Address
 - City
 - State
 - ZIP or Postal Code
 - Country
 - Federal ID Number
 - Phone or Fax Number
 - SIC or NAICS Code
 - CAGE Code
 - Business Classifications
 - D-U-N-S® or CEC Number
- b** Type a manufacturer/contractor name. CatalogXpress finds suppliers having *all* of the words you enter in their names. It also checks former names. You can also enter a contract or schedule number, or the title of a GSA-related publication in this field.
- c** You can choose to search only commercial suppliers, only GSA data, or the entire database.
- d** If you subscribe to the Preferred Supplier option, select *Yes* to search only your Preferred Suppliers, or *No* to search the entire database. Click the *Preferred Suppliers* link to view a list of your preferred suppliers. Click the *Update PS List* button to change your list (if authorized) or to suggest additions to the authorized person. After updating the list, click the *Load Changes* button to put the changes into effect immediately.

2. Manufacturer List

Click the Mfr Info icons to view addresses, phone and fax numbers, sales office listings, Web site links, and more. (See the last page of this Tip Sheet for an example.)

Click the View Pgs icon to see a list of the catalogs that match your search criteria.

We clicked Textron's View Pgs icon. Here are the catalogs that contain our search criteria. Click the icon next to the catalog title to view the catalog.

Notice that the file size and publishing dates are given.

Manufacturer List (From Catalog Search)

Your search found the following 24 manufacturers with catalogs containing 'hand riveter textron'

Mfr Info.	View Pgs.	Manufacturers
		Switch to Harris InfoSource™ Manufacturer List.
		1. (100%) Textron Inc, Textron Fastening Systems, Textron Aerospace Fasteners, old name(s): Cherry Div
		2. (99%) Avdel-Cherry Textron, old name(s): Avdel Corp Textron Inc/ Avdel Cherry Newman Industries Inc/ Avdel Div
		3. (93%) 51 V, Textron Aerospace Fasteners (Cherry), old name(s): GS-20F 4052G

Mfr Info.	View Pgs.	Manufacturers
		Switch to Harris InfoSource™ Manufacturer List.
		1. (100%) Textron Inc, Textron Fastening Systems, Textron Aerospace Fasteners, old name(s): Cherry Div
		(100%) CHERRY G750A LIGHTWEIGHT HAND RIVETER (112.7 KByte PDF File) (Last Published: 2000)
		(100%) CHERRYLOCK LOCKED SPINDLE RIVETS (2.08 MByte PDF File) (Last Published: 2000)
		(99%) Blind Rivets (127 pgs.) (Last Published: 1999)

Suppliers matching your search criteria were found in Harris InfoSource. You will often find small and local suppliers here.

The manufacturers and the individual catalogs are sorted by their relevancy rankings. Weighting factors mimic the typical human selection process so the best matches are listed first. 100% virtually guarantees you will find the needed information.

3. Page List (PDF Normal Format)

Page List

Search Terms: hand riveter textron
Manufacturer: Textron Inc, Textron Fastening Systems, Textron Aerospace Fasteners, old name(s): Cherry Div
Catalog: CHERRY G750A LIGHTWEIGHT HAND RIVETER
PDF File Size: 112.7 KBytes

[National Stock Number List from the HAYSTACK® Service](#)

[View Pages](#)

This catalog is contained in a single PDF file. Click on the "VIEW PAGES" button to download the PDF file to your browser. Adobe's Acrobat Reader will automatically display the entire catalog for you to view.

Sample Text:
LIGHTWEIGHT **HAND RIVETER**
...limited access areas with one **hand**.
...information about the Cherry G750A **Hand Riveter**.

If the catalog you have chosen is in PDF Normal format, you will retrieve a Page List screen similar to the one on the left.

Click this button to view a list of the National Stock Numbers (NSNs) mentioned in this catalog, and then retrieve information from the Federal Supply Catalog (FLIS and CAGE). (See the last page of this Tip Sheet for more information.)

Click the View Pages button to view this catalog. CatalogXpress displays it using the free Adobe Acrobat® Reader.

To help you decide if this is the catalog you need, the catalog text adjoining your search criteria is reproduced here. It is formatted like the original page—if the original page is in columns, this text is also in columns. Your search terms are highlighted in **red**.

4. View Catalog Pages



Now you can use the functions of the Adobe Acrobat Reader to view, manipulate and print the pages.

Your search terms are highlighted. Click the last icon on the toolbar to move to the next occurrence of your search terms.

You can highlight and copy any catalog text and then paste it into your word processed documents.

Page List (PDF Image Format)

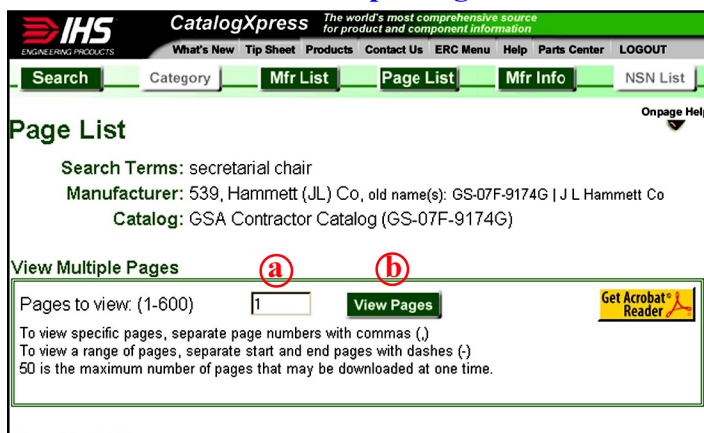
Some of the catalog pages in CatalogXpress are in PDF *Normal* format (as illustrated in the preceding example), others are in PDF *Image* format. On the Page List screen PDF Normal catalogs are indicated by the words *PDF File* following the catalog title. PDF Images do not have this distinction. Below is an example of a PDF Image listing.

	1. (82%) 539, Hammett (JL) Co, old name(s): GS-07F-9174G J L Hammett Co
	(82%) GSA Contractor Catalog (GS-07F-9174G) (600 pgs.)

This is a listing for a GSA contractor. Notice that it includes the schedule and contract numbers. The number of catalog pages is also listed.

There are two ways to view the actual catalog pages, **View Multiple Pages** and **View Single Pages**:

View Multiple Pages



View Multiple Pages

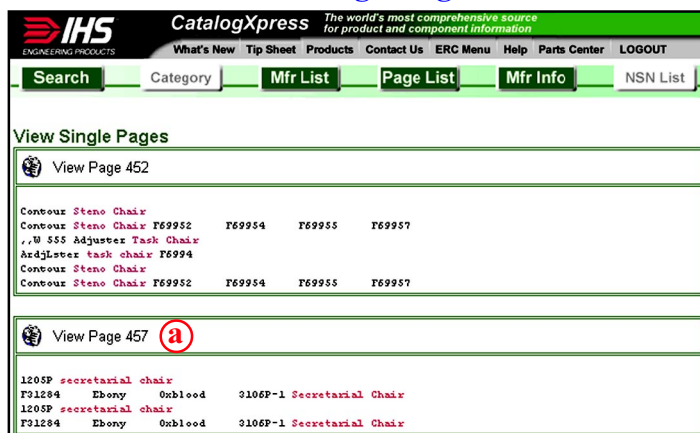
Pages to view: (1-600) **View Pages**

To view specific pages, separate page numbers with commas (,)
To view a range of pages, separate start and end pages with dashes (-)
50 is the maximum number of pages that may be downloaded at one time.

View Multiple Pages gives you access to all of the pages in the catalog. You can download up to 50 pages at a time. Simply:

- a** Enter the page numbers you want.
- b** Click the View Pages button.

View Single Pages



View Single Pages

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Contour Steno Chair	F69952	F69954	F69955	F69957
Contour Steno Chair	F69952	F69954	F69955	F69957
Contour Steno Chair	F69952	F69954	F69955	F69957

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1205P secretarial chair	F31284	Ebony	Onblood	2106P-1 Secretarial Chair
1205P secretarial chair	F31284	Ebony	Onblood	2106P-1 Secretarial Chair

View Single Pages gives you access to the pages that best match your search criteria. The catalog text adjoining your search criteria is reproduced here, formatted like the original page—if the original page is in columns, this text is also in columns. Your search terms are highlighted—the best matches are bright red. Notice that even though we searched using the words *secretarial chair*, the CatalogXpress thesaurus also found pages with the words *steno chair* and *task chair*.

- a** Click the View Pages icon to see the catalog page.



These PDF pages are displayed using the Adobe Acrobat Reader. However, because these pages are not in the PDF *Normal* format, your search terms are not highlighted. The pages are black and white.

NSN Information

If you purchased the CatalogXpress Preferred Suppliers option, catalogs that reference NSNs (National Stock Numbers) are linked to Federal Supply Catalog information regarding those NSNs. This data is extracted from the HAYSTACK® Service and includes information on government stocking and requisition, pricing, alternate suppliers, technical characteristics, and more.

Click the red NSN List button on the Page List screen to view a list of the NSNs referenced in the catalog.

Example:

National Stock Numbers			
5120-01-432-6190	5120-01-432-9361	5130-01-393-2925	5130-01-393-2926

Part Number, CAGE, & Pricing Information

FLIS - Manufacturer's Part Number/CAGE Information									
Part Number	CAGE	RNFC	RNCC	RNVC	DAC	SADC	RNAAC	RNSC	RNJC
Q750ACMR	E7632	4	5	2	4		2F	A	
Q750ACMR	11815		3	2	4		2Z		

FLIS - Pricing/Management Information									
SA	MGMT	US	Unit Price	SOS	AA	OP	UI	SL	CHIC
TG	-----	D	\$1,021.76 GSA	I	0	EA	0	U	
DA	E2200D-	A	\$1,021.76 GSA	I	0	EA	0	M	Z 00
GP	-----	C	\$1,021.76 GSA	I	0	EA	0	U	
DF	LP9---N	F	\$0.00 GSA	I	0	EA	0	U	N
DM	1-54---	M	\$1,021.76 GSA	I	0	EA	0	U	Z
DN	9Q-----	N	\$1,021.76 GSA	I	0	EA	0	U	

Click the CAGE (Commercial And Government Entity) code links to view information on alternate sources and additional contact information from the CAGE database, Dun & Bradstreet, and the Central Contractor Registry.

Additional Contact Information

Central Contractor Registry				
DUNS	Company Name & Address	Phone #	Fax #	POC
00-849-3603	TEXTRON INC 1224 EAST WARNER AVENUE SANTA ANA, CA 92707-0157	714-5506014	(714) 550-6095	DANIEL PETERS

Central Contractor Registry Cont.			
SIC	E-Mail Addresses	Business Codes	Business Def
3452 3546	dpeters@taf.textron.com	MF	Manufacturer

Dun & Bradstreet Fields					
DUNS#	Company Name & Address	Phone #	SIC	CEC	Tax ID
00-849-3603	TEXTRON INC 1224 E WARNER AVE SANTA ANA, CA 92705-5414	714-545-5511	3965		

This data includes additional phone and fax numbers, e-mail and Web addresses, a point of contact, and more.

Technical Characteristics

FLIS - Technical Characteristics		
MRD	Property	Value
AKYD	ACCESSORY COMPONENTS AND QUANTITY	PULLING HEAD ADAPTER H750A-088; GRIP GAGE; MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS
BTPX	PULLING HEAD CHARACTERISTICS AND QUANTITY	OFFSET PULLING HEAD H781A-456; RIGHT ANGLE PULLING HEAD H733A-456
BTPW	RIVET SIZE FOR WHICH DESIGNED	1/8, 5/32 AND 3/16 IN.
FEAT	SPECIAL FEATURES	HYDRAULIC TYPE, 3/4 IN. STROKE, 4200 LBS PULLING CAPACITY; USED TO INSTALL ALL 3 SIZES OF CHERRYMAX RIVETS (NOMINAL AND OVERSIZE) WITH SLEEVE MATERIAL OF ALUMINUM, MONEL AND INCO 600; ALSO USED TO INSTALL 1/8 AND 5/32 IN. DIA CHERRY "S" TYPE MAXIBOLT; 6.4 IN. H X 7.5 IN. LG; FURNISHED IN PLASTIC BOX
SUPP	SUPPLEMENTARY FEATURES	NIP ITEM

Cataloged Technical Characteristics help you verify that this is the exact item you need.

For more information on the HAYSTACK Parts and Logistics Service, or to register for a free trial password, see our Web site (<http://www.ihs.com/haystack>).

Manufacturer's Information

Manufacturer's Information (From Catalog Search)									
Since this information is a result of a Catalog Search, no hits can be highlighted.									
NAME: 51 V, Textron Aerospace Fasteners (Cherry)									
OLD NAME: GS-20F-4052G									
ADDRESS:									
1224 E Warner Ave Box 2157									
Santa Ana, CA 92707-0157									
USA									
TELEPHONE: 714-850-6007									
FAX: 714-850-6095									
CAGE CODE: 11815									
BUSINESS CLASSIFICATION: Other than min owned business									
BUSINESS CLASSIFICATION: Other than sm business									
FEDERAL ID: 00-0000000									
EXPIRATION DATE: 02/28/2001									
EMAIL: eneal@taf.textron.com									
WEB: http://www.taf.textron.com									

On most CatalogXpress screens, you can click the Mfr Info icon (or the Mfr Info button on the top button bar) to view contact information and other data regarding the supplier. The example above contains information on a GSA contractor. Notice the contract number, CAGE code, business classifications, Federal ID, and the expiration date of the GSA contract. Many of the Manufacturer's Information screens also include a complete list of sales office locations.

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+1-303-397-2295 (International)

For more information view our demo:

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